

Your 2026/27 Business Rates bill

NATIONAL NON-DOMESTIC RATES

13-MAR-2026

R. ATEPAYER
1 HIGH STREET
LONGRIDGE
PR3 3XX



Ribble Valley
Borough Council
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Account Number
6XXXXX6

Online Key: ABCDEF6GHI

Reason for Bill: Annual

Address bill relates to:
1 HIGH STREET
LONGRIDGE
PR3 3XX

MULTIPLIERS:

0.432	SMALL	
0.382	SMALL-RHL	← 1
0.480	STANDARD	
0.430	STANDARD – RHL	
0.508	HIGH VALUE	

Group	NNDR	
Description	CAFE AND PREMISES	3
Rateable Value	15500	←
Property Ref	0710000000000	

2	BASE LIABILITY (BL)	5738.50
	APPROPRIATE FRACTION (AF)	1.05
	5739.00 X 1.05	6025.43
	NOTIONAL CHARGEABLE AMOUNT (NCA)	
	RATEABLE VALUE (RV) 01-APR-26	15500
	M + TRS (0.01)	0.392
	NCA = RV X (M+TRS)	6076.00

Charge for Period RV 15500 X 0.382

01-APR-2026 31-MAR-2027	5921.00
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Transitional Relief for Period

01-APR-2026 31-MAR-2027	-50.57
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Supporting Small Business Relief

01-APR-2026 31-MAR-2027	-5225.43
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Transitional Relief Supplement

01-APR-2026 31-MAR-2027	155.00
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PAYMENT INSTRUCTIONS

AMOUNT DUE 800.00

MEMORANDUM NOTE

IF, AT THE DATE THE BILLS ARE PRODUCED, THERE IS AN AMOUNT OUTSTANDING FROM A PREVIOUS YEAR IT WILL STATE THE AMOUNT HERE. THIS AMOUNT IS NOT INCLUDED IN THE INSTALMENT PLAN AND SHOULD BE PAID SEPARATELY.

FIRST INSTALMENT DUE ON	28-APR-2026	1 x 80.00
9 OTHER INSTALMENTS DUE ON	28-MAY-2026 TO 28-JAN-2027	9 x 80.00

INSTALMENTS TO BE PAID BY: DIRECT DEBIT MONTHLY

IF YOU HAVE A DIRECT DEBIT SET UP YOU DO NOT NEED TO AMEND IT. IF YOU PAY BY ANY OTHER METHOD IT WILL BE STATED ABOVE FOR YOUR INFORMATION / ACTION AS REQUIRED

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1. From 1 April 2026 there are five multipliers. ‘Small’ multipliers apply to properties with a rateable value below 51,000. The ‘high value’ multiplier applies to properties with a rateable value (RV) of 500,000 and above. Occupied properties used mainly for **Retail, Hospitality and Leisure** purposes benefit from the lower ‘RHL’ multiplier.

2. *****This information will only appear on your bill if Transitional Relief (see 4) applies *****
Base liability (BL) is (RV) on 31 March 2026 multiplied by the 2025/2026 multiplier.
Notional chargeable amount (NCA) is RV on 1 April 2026 x this year’s multiplier (M) plus 0.01. The additional penny is the Transitional Relief Supplement, or TRS (see 6).

If NCA is lower than BL transitional relief will not apply (and this section will not appear on the bill).

If NCA is higher than BL a further calculation will determine the amount of relief awarded.

Appropriate Fraction (AF). This is the percentage increase allowed under the TR scheme. For 2026/27 the appropriate fractions are:

RV up to 20,000 -	1.05
RV 20,001 to £100,000 -	1.15
RV over £100,000 -	1.30

3. This is your new RV, effective from 1 April 2026. The starting point for your business rates liability is the RV multiplied by the appropriate multiplier. If you think you are eligible for the RHL multiplier, and it is not shown on your bill, email businessrates@ribblevalley.gov.uk with details of the nature of your business. In this example the business is a café; it has an RV below 51,000 and so the small RHL multiplier of 0.382 applies $-15,500 \times 0.382 = \mathbf{5,921.00}$

4. **Transitional Relief (TR)** supports businesses facing an increase in their bills because of the revaluation. A calculation determines the amount of support that applies:

In this example NCA is $15,500 \times 0.392$ (which is 0.382 plus 0.01) = 6,076.00. BL is 5,738.50, which is less than NCA, so transitional relief applies. To find out how much, multiply BL by the appropriate fraction, which in this case, as the RV is below 20,000, is 1.05.

Multiplying this amount by BL provides the maximum the ratepayer should pay according to the TR scheme: $5,738.50 \times 1.05 = 6,025.43$. TR is the difference between NCA and this maximum amount:

$6,076.00 - 6,025.43 = \mathbf{50.57}$. This is deducted from the gross amount payable.

5. **Supporting Small Business Relief (SSBR)** caps bill increases for ratepayers who are losing Small Business Rates Relief or Rural Rate Relief, either because of an increase in rateable value arising from the revaluation, or because the 2025/2026 RHL relief no longer applies. The cap is the higher of the previous year’s rates multiplied by the relevant TR increase limit, or £800, whichever is the greater. In this example, the ratepayer received 100% Small Business Rates Relief last year and so did not pay any rates. This limits the increase to £800, resulting in a SSBR award of **5,225.43**.

6. **Transitional Relief Supplement (TRS)** is a one penny supplement intended to help fund TR. Although it shows as an addition on all bills, ratepayers who receive TR or SSBR do not pay the supplement as the relief awarded includes an amount to cover the TRS. Calculate the supplement by multiplying the RV by a penny – so in this example $15,500 \times 0.01 = \mathbf{155.00}$.